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In re Patent Application of:
Kazuyasu Ohashi

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For: DOWNSIZE, HIGH PERFORMANCE, AND
WIDE RANGE MAGNIFICATION ZOOM
LENS AND CAMERA APPARATUS

REPLACEMENT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please replace the Amendment filed on May 11, 2004, with the following Amendment. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this paper.